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health issued to the steamship *Phœnix* and also to the steamship *Hispania.*

Respectfully, yours, WM. H. CARSON,
Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SUPERVISING SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

GUATEMALA.

Sanitary report from Livingston.

LIVINGSTON, GUATEMALA, *August 2, 1899.*

SIR: I have the honor to report 2 deaths at this place since my last report, an adult and a child, Carribeans, and both are reported as having died of calentura. Calentura is the name given by the natives to the continued type of fever that prevails in these countries, and which is now assuming a much more serious type (a pernicious fever) than earlier in the season, and hence with an increasing fatality. The treatment, in my opinion, is largely responsible for the fatality. It is the treatment of a century ago—excessive purging, vomiting, and sweating, and no ice nor water. Two deaths also reported in Barrios, a Mexican adult, of septicæmia, and a child, of pernicious fever.

Respectfully, NORWOOD K. VANCE,
Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

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[Inclosure.]

Clearance of vessels for New Orleans during the week.

LIVINGSTON, GUATEMALA, *August 2, 1899.*

Date.	Vessel.	Master.	No. of crew.	Laborers.	Destination.	No. of passengers.
Aug. 1....	Foxhall.....	Reed.....	30	22	New Orleans, La.....	9
Aug. 2....	Managua.....	Gundersen..	16	20	Mobile, Ala.....	None.

The foreign and New York vessels I do not mention here for the reason that they are not subject to the quarantine restrictions, but I mail you the triplicate bills of health issued from the consular agency for all vessels not calling at southern ports.

NICARAGUA.

Sanitary report from Bluefields.

BLUEFIELDS, NICARAGUA, *August 1, 1899.*

SIR: I have the honor to submit my weekly report, as follows: Have inspected the steamships *Rover*, *Jarl Fulton*, and *Luldal*, all bound for New Orleans, carrying a total of 12 passengers, whose baggage was promptly disinfected. Two deaths have been recorded in Bluefields during the past week; 1 adult (colored), of snake bite, and 1 adult (colored) of malarial toxæmia. The general health of the town and vicinity continues good.

Respecfully, yours, D. W. GOODMAN,
Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

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